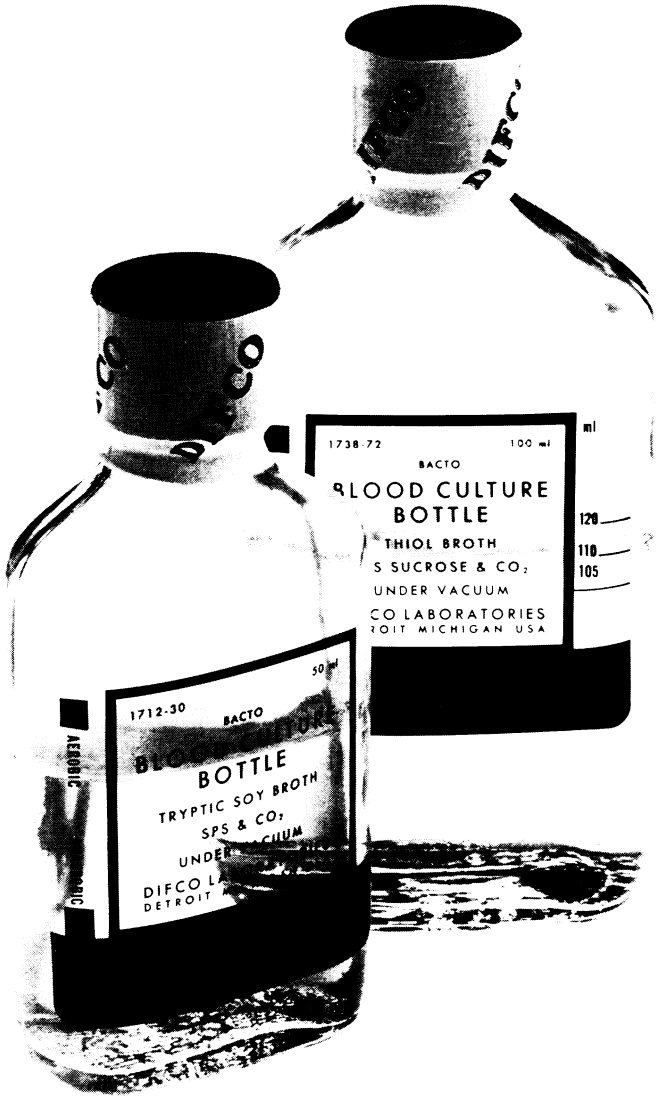
There is more than one answer to blood culturing

We don't claim all the answers. Just more than anyone else



Consider

- Widest Choice of Media for broad spectrum coverage of fastidious pathogens.
- Aerobic or anaerobic capability.
- CO_2 for the growth enhancement of many fastidious pathogens.
- Thiol Broth for neutralization of all expected blood levels of penicillins, streptomycin and sulfas.
- SPS to inhibit the action of the blood's natural defenses.
- Sucrose to give osmotically sensitive cells the chance to survive.
- Systems that provide room for an adequate blood sample (5-10 ml.).
- Closed system to minimize contamination during sample collection.
- Uniquely stoppered system to minimize contamination during subculturing procedures.

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